Synopsis of Michigan Renewable Energy Legislation 2013-2014 Pending or Passed Legislation¹

Renewable Energy Standard

• SB 0322 – http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2013-SB-0322 A bill increasing the renewable portfolio standard for electric providers. Sponsor: Hopgood.

Zoning

• HB 4062 – http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2013-HB-4062 A bill authorizing structures used for the measurement of wind speed in agricultural zones. Sponsor: Irwin.

Financing

• HB 4232 – http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2013-HB-4232 A bill creating a grant and loan program for renewable energy and energy efficiency. Sponsor: Ananich.

Taxation

• HB 4245 – http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2013-HB-4245 A bill amending 1893 PA 206 by adding property tax exemptions for eligible renewable energy systems. Sponsor: Daley.

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